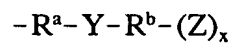


# ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Disclosed are derivatives of glycopeptide compounds having at least one substituent of the formula:



- 5 where  $R^a$ ,  $R^b$ , Y, Z and  $x$  are as defined, and pharmaceutical compositions containing such glycopeptide derivatives. The disclosed glycopeptide derivatives are useful as antibacterial agents.